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CITY TRUSTEES

Bids Opened for Jail Cells—Street Superintendent's Resignation Accepted

All trustees present. There was a large delegation present from the territory adjoining the city on the North backing a petition signed by a large number of citizens asking for an annexation election to bring into the city. A lively discussion ensued over the proposed boundary lines, Mr. Sidney Dell and others insisting that the petition does not take in enough of the Thom ranch (as proposed lines do not include the wash). After considerable discussion Mr. Coker offered the necessary resolution for the calling of the election and a recess of fifteen minutes was taken. In the free for all discussion which followed, Mr. Dell insisted that the present petition be disregarded and a new one prepared along the lines indicated by him. The city attorney expressed the opinion that this could not be done, that the election must be called unless sufficient names were withdrawn from it to reduce their number to below the required 20 per cent of votes cast at the last municipal election. When the board reconvened the motion was withdrawn and the matter laid over for one week.

Bids for the improvement of a portion of Second street were opened and declared as follows:

W. A. Dontanville, grading, .35; oiling, .02¾; curb, .32; sidewalk, .08. F. R. Sinclair, grading, .25; oiling, .03; curb, .22; sidewalk, .08. Referred to city engineer.

Bids for furnishing the city two steel jail cells were opened and declared as follows:

Mesker & Bro., St. Louis, $235; E. T. Barnum, Detroit, $270; Stewart Iron Works, Cincinnati, $263; A. F. Anderson & Co., Los Angeles, $322. A large number of demands were presented and referred.

J. P. Shropshire was granted permission to remove pepper tree from corner of Fourth and Everett. Clerk was authorized to transfer from the electric light fund to the electric light interest and principal fund, a sum to meet interest and principal payments due January 2, 1912.

A draft of proposed tuberculin test ordinance was referred to ordinance and judiciary committee. The tax collector reported collections for week $2212.89. Total to date $12,940.16. A communication was received from Mr. Pomeroy in regard to improvements on Louise street; referred to street superintendent. A communication from the horticultural inspector as to pepper tree, Fifth and Glendale and two at Columbus and Seventh street, was referred to public works committee.

The tax collector was instructed to cancel tax sale on lot 6, Rando Tract, on account of error.

Hearing on the ornamental street lighting proposition was deferred for one week.

The city attorney was instructed to prepare an ordinance calling for bond election to provide a lighting system for recently annexed territory. The manager of the lighting department was requested to prepare an estimate for the extension of the lighting system over the whole city. Trustee Lane was authorized to see the officials of the Pacific Electric railway in an endeavor to secure better accommodations for the people of this section. The city attorney was instructed to prepare an ordinance giving trustees power to close certain streets to heavy traffic when deemed necessary.

The resignation of Street Superintendent E. M. Lynch, presented some months ago, was accepted to take place February 1st.

MEETING OF COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

Was held Tuesday evening at which there was a large attendance of property owners in the proposed assessment district, who met with the trustees to discuss the proposed ornamental street lighting system. The result was that they practically agreed on the plans heretofore submitted by Manager Lynch and at next week's meeting the matter will probably be disposed of officially so that the work will soon begin.

Improvement Association Meeting

The regular meeting of the Improvement Association will be held next Thursday evening at K. of P. hall.

The following is the attractive program that will be presented:

Miss Riena Graf, song; Miss Litta Hibben, reading; Miss May Beth Pigg, piano solo; Frank L. Muhleman, speaking on freeholders' charter; Mrs. L. W. Chobe, song; Miss Helene Morgan, piano solo; Mrs. Elmer Evans, reading.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

Regular meeting will be held at I. O. O. F. hall on Friday next, December 22nd, at 7:30 p. m. Members are urged to come early, in order that business may be transacted quickly

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ogg and Mr. and Mrs. V. Price Brown were among those who were present at the Shriners' Ball given Friday evening at Shrine Auditorium.

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DEATH OF W. D. BUCK.

Mr. W. D. Buck died very suddenly at his home on Sixth street last Tuesday morning. He had laid down, complaining of being ill, and passed away before a doctor could arrive, the cause of death being heart failure. Mr. Buck was sixty-seven years of age, a veteran of the Civil war, and was apparently hale and hearty up to the time of his death. He was in the grocery business at Third and Glendale avenue for two or three years, but has not been in business for the past year.

TROPICO-GLENDALE

Consolidation Proposition Defeated in Tropico by a Small Majority

The election last Saturday on the question of the consolidation of Glendale and Tropico came off with the result that there will be no consolidation for the present at least. There was not much interest shown in Glendale where the vote was 273 in favor and 19 against, out of a probable total of 2000 votes.

But if there was any apathy exhibited on the part of the Glendale voters it was made up for by the interest exhibited in Tropico where father, mother and the older children all turned out. The vote there was 387 against and 352 for consolidation.

Notwithstanding the strenuosity of the contest, everybody kept in good humor and after the count was completed the winners celebrated their victory by an anvil chorus that was heard all over the valley.

On Friday Tropico votes on the question of incurring a $20,000 bonded indebtedness to put in an electric lighting system. It is understood that Mr. I. C. Brand has made the trustees a very fair offer on his electric plant within the limits of Tropico and it is generally thought that the proposition to vote bonds will be carried.

DEATH OF E. M. ACKLEY.

The Stockton Daily Record of recent date contains an account of the death of Mr. E. M. Aekley, which occurred at San Diego on Friday, December 5th. He had moved to San Diego from Stockton a few months ago on account of his health. Mr. Ackley was about 50 years of age. He leaves a widow, a son 18 years old, and a daughter, Ruth, who was in Glendale last summer as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Ackley of Kenwood street, and who made many friends while here.

A CHRISTMAS STORY.

I am rounded somewhat at the shoulder,
And I have a rheumatic knee,
And I think the winters are colder
Than they formerly used to be.
And I sit by the glowing embers
This wintry windy day,
And think of the many Decembers
That have come and gone away.

I recall how I used to enjoy them
And it was delightfully nice
From noon until dark to employ them
With sleds or skates on the ice.
Good sleighing, good ice on the river,
In the snow how we rumbled and rolled;
To think of it now, brings a shiver,
I guess I am getting old.

I hear happy children singing,
In the chapel just over the way,
While gifts fond parents are bringing
For the Christmas holiday.
How keenest delights awaken,
As they dance in childish glee,
As with loving hands gifts are taken
From the well laden Christmas tree.

And I sit here alone in the twilight
Of the grate's uneven glow,
And think of the Christmas seasons
That were mine in the long ago,
When the vigor of sturdy boyhood
Felt not, cared not for the cold,
But now I'm a shut-in victim,
I guess I am getting old.

All gone to the children's party,
That song—I heard it again,
Sung first in Old Bethlehem's Village,
"Peace and good will to men."
Just then my door partly opened,
Enough to let Mary through,
"Oh, Grandpa, Merry Christmas,
And my gift is my love for you."

Was there any curve on my shoulder?
Did I reach for my much used cane,
As I seized the little intruder
And I kissed her again and again?
My heart a quick-step was beating,
My pulses were running wild,
Between kisses I kept repeating,
"Thank God for the love of a child."

And still doth my heart keep singing,
That old, ever new, refrain,
All over the wild world ringing,
First heard on Bethlehem's plain,
Sing on, oh Chorus of Angels,
Let it echo o'er mountain and glen
"Glory to God in the highest;
Peace and Good Will to Men."

This has preluded the coming
Of the sinless One from above
To banish all forms of wrong-doing
And establish the kingdom of love
What room have I for complaining,
By love's subtle power beguiled,
I have a rich portion remaining,
His love, and the love of a child.

Samuel Parker.

Glendale, Cal.

METHODIST YOUNG PEOPLE ENTERTAIN.

The J. O. C.'s, Baracas and Philatheas of the M. E. Church gave a very delightful Christmas party last Tuesday evening in the social hall of the church. The rooms were beautifully decorated in holly, Christmas bells and the pennants of the three classes, while the red Japanese lanterns over the electric lights cast a cheerful ruddy glow over all.

Following is the program:

Piano duet, Vera Kimball and Edna Larned.

Christmas tableau, Philathea girls, with Howard Lennox as soloist.

Reading, Birdie Shropshire.

Solo, Kenneth Barager.

Minstrel skit, Dan Kelty and Will Turner.

Solo, Howard Lennox.

Reading, Lillian Shropshire.

After several interesting games had been played, a screen was pushed aside, disclosing to view a Christmas tree, gay with twinkling candles and strings of popcorn and cranberries, which groaned under the weight of many bulky and mysterious-looking packages.

Refreshments consisted of chocolate, coffee, sandwiches, candy, apples, nuts and popcorn.

The time went all too quickly, and as old Father Time tolled the hour of midnight, merry good-byes were said and all were off, leaving the forlorn-looking tree, shed of all its glory, to the mercy of the dark and cold.

About seventy-five were there.

Notice to the Public

The Glendale branch postoffice will observe Sunday, December 31st, and Monday, January 1st, as holidays. Office will be open from 10 to 11 a. m. on Sunday for the delivery of mail, and from 8 to 12 a. m. on Monday for the same purpose. Carriers will make one full delivery each day, assisted by package delivery.

TAX NOTICE.

Glendale city taxes become delinquent on Tuesday, December 26th. If you have not paid your's yet, better do it now, as the time is getting short and penalties will be added after that date.

THE CHURCHES

ST. MARK'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Divine services for Sunday, December 24th: Holy communion, 7:30 a. m.; morning prayer and sermon, 11 a. m.; even song, 4:30 p. m.; Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Christmas tree in the former parish house (725 W. 3rd St.) Tuesday, December 26th, at 7:30 p. m. Christmas day services at 10 a. m. only.

WEST GLENDALE M. E. CHURCH.

There will be exercises appropriate to Christmas given by the West Glendale Methodist Episcopal Sunday school on Saturday evening at 7:30. A program including songs, recitations, and a talk by Miss Clara Metcalf on Christmas in other lands. A feature of the evening will be a tree and Santa Claus is expected to put in an appearance.

ENGLISH LUTHERAN CHRISTMAS SERVICES, DEC. 24, 1911.

Bible school, 10 a. m.; Christmas sermon, 11 a. m.

Evening services: Christmas exercises, Christmas sermon, 7:00 p. m. A hearty welcome. Invite your friends to these services. I. O. O. F. hall, Fourth street between Isabel and Glendale avenue.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH.

The pastor will preach next Sunday both morning and night. Morning, "A Christless World."

Mr. Alfred Clark will lead the class meeting 12 m.

"Christmas in the Heart," is the Epworth League subject. W. L. Hovis, leader.

Sunday school Christmas entertainment this Friday evening, 7:30 o'clock.

Prayer meeting subject, "Our Purposes for 1911: Have They Been Accomplished?" 2 Peter 3:18.

Epworth League social next Friday night.

Come and worship with us.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

W. E. Edmonds, pastor. Temporary residence, 131 Belmont street. Sunday school, 10 a. m., David Black, superintendent. Morning worship, 11 o'clock. Christmas sermon, subject "Finding Christ." Special music. Junior Endeavor, 3 o'clock; Senior Endeavor, 6:30. At 7:30 a Christmas program will be rendered. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening, 7:30.

At the Presbyterian church, next Sunday morning and evening, Mr. Peckham, of Los Angeles, a singer of unusual merit, will sing solos.

The church membership has been divided into twelve districts with twelve district leaders. Systematic visitation will be carried on and new lines of work promoted.

The bazar held by the Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church of Casa Verdugo, December 8th, was quite a success. The society realized $50 net.

The location of the church is such as to be very much needed and is doing a good work. The Sunday school, under the leadership of Clyde H. Lee, is doing a good work. He is aided by good music and a splendid class of teachers. A welcome is extended to all.

On the eve of December 10 a company of about fifty young people from Los Angeles, mostly from Immanuel Presbyterian church, of which Dr. Walker is the popular pastor, were out and held an evening service. They are working under the title of Fisherman's Club and are doing a grand work. Prayer meeting each Wednesday evening is being held and is very helpful to those who attend. Time 7:30. Congregations while still large are increasing and manifest much interest in the cause represented. The people who attend are confident of real success. If people who go to Los Angeles Sabbath morning would worship at this little church they could do great good. Come and help the cause at home.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Plans are being made for helpful and interesting Christmas services on Sunday. The Sunday school meets at 10 o'clock, and at 11 a. m. Rev. E. H. Willisford will speak, sermon topic "The Points of the Christmas Star." Miss Payne will play a violin solo and Mr. Hoppe of Los Angeles will sing. The morning services will be in the K. of P. hall, Brand boulevard.

In the evening at 7:30 o'clock a service will be held in the Jewel City Theater on Brand boulevard. Rev H. P. Case, superintendent of Congregational Sunday school work, will give an address on the topic, "Homeland and Holy." This address will be illustrated with fifty stereopticon slides. Mr. Case is an interesting speaker. Admission is free. The public is welcome.

On Saturday evening in the K. of P. hall a Christmas entertainment will be given. There will be a Christmas tree, and a Santa Claus and a treat for all the children. There will be recitations and songs. A pantomine "Annie and Willie's Prayer" will be given. An exercise, "The day before Christmas" will be presented. The public is welcome. The program will begin at 7:30 o'clock.

LATEST ANNEXATION PROJECT

Gets a Temporary Set-back—Proposed Boundaries

As will be seen by the above the proposition which has been incubating for several weeks for the annexation to Glendale of the contiguous territory on the north, has at last come to a head in the form of a petition fixing the boundaries. The territory proposed to be annexed is within limits approximately as follows: The western boundary of the city of Glendale would be extended 1320 feet west and 150 feet south on Fourth street; thence north along what would be an extension of Pacific avenue and just west of Park avenue to a point some 200 feet north of Kenneth Road; thence east to the west boundary of the Thom ranch; thence south to a point about 150 feet north of the present city boundary. This includes practically all of the Casa Verdugo section. There is also a jog made southwest of the West Glendale school house in order to take in the tract of 25 acres now being handled by Edwards and Wildey, at their request. After crossing the wash to the south side as outlined above, the line runs a hundred and fifty feet or so north of the present city boundary and loops up into the ranon so as to include the Verdugo Park and the level portion of the ranch, also the Mesnager vineyard on the north—the idea being to give the city jurisdiction over the source of our water supply.

CASA VERDUGO ANNEXATION.

The proceedings for annexation of North Glendale came to a sudden halt at the trustees' meeting Monday night after a lively tilt. Sidney Dell, in behalf of the Casa Verdugo people, made a vigorous objection to the proposed porth line across the Thom and Ross ranch that ran only 150 feet north of the present city limits and excluded the "wash" on that ranch. He urged that line was a wrong towards the people of Casa Verdugo and of Glendale, too, by jeopardizing life and property. He asserted that it left us at the mercy of Thom and Ross by precluding annexation of that ranch in the future.

Finally, the friends of annexation seemed to concur with Mr. Dell and action was postponed. A mass meeting of the Casa Verdugo people will be called at an early day to agree on the proper north line.

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We unintentionally failed to mention in previous issue the illustrated edition of the Tropico Sentinel. The issue is a very creditable one, some of the illustrations being particularly good. The paper gives information of interest to homeseekers which should be valuable in drawing to Tropico its share of the investors who are turning their footsteps toward California.

Theodore Roosevelt in the Outlook voices the sentiment of the large majority of the American people in regard to the McNamara case. There must be no more compromising with crime whether committed in the fanaticism of devotion to the labor unions or for any other object however high and holy deluded devotees may imagine it to be. The McNamaras were not driven to crime by the sins of capitalism. They were led into it by their immediate surroundings and the atmosphere of anarchy which they breathed and the spirit of hatred which they cherished until it obsessed them.

Edward Everett Hale, after listening to an enthusiastic person who was talking about the moral education of children, whispered to the writer, "Such enthusiasm for the cause and so little regard for the child!" One of the most obvious defects in many of our public workers, and one of the most serious obstacles to success, is the fact that they have no personal contact with the men and women whose cause they plead and whom they are trying to help. The only effective work that is done by reformers comes out of an enthusiasm for humanity that is generated in love for individuals and a profound pity and sympathy for those with whom in neighborly ways they have come in contact. The religion and the reform that are purely literary and professional take no deep roots in human society.—Christian Register.

CONTROL OF THE WASH.

This paper has more than once advised that the City of Glendale acquire jurisdiction over the wash of Verdugo Creek that runs along and outside of the city's boundary on the north. But the recent agitation in regard to the matter has caused us to feel something like hedging. The city should have control, if common-sense methods of protecting its banks could be relied upon always. But if there continues to be an apparently serious demand that the city go to work, when such jurisdiction is acquired, and expend a large amount of money in the way of permanent work along the banks of this semi-occasional stream, the wisdom of taking it into the municipality becomes questionable. Work of a permanent nature would doubtless enhance the value of property in the immediate neighborhood, particularly if one feature of the improvement should be a good road, but at present it is improbable that the taxpayers of the city will enthuse over such a project.

REPEATING HISTORY.

The Russian Bear still continues to encroach upon Persia while continuing to assure England that there is nothing doing in that direction. It is a repetition of history, for the hungry animal of the North is repeating the tactics employed when the good-natured Gladstone was premier of England. Reports came to him from his own officials along the border line of Afghanistan that there was a continual movement of Russian troops into the territory which both powers had agreed to consider neutral and immune from invasion. Gladstone refused to believe it and communicated the substance of the reports in the form of a query to the Russian state department. The answer consisted in a point blank denial that anything of the kind had occurred. The answer was perfectly satisfactory to Mr. Gladstone, but he had barely time to express his satisfaction before the startling news came that a Russian army was at the gates of Herat, and out of that incident grew the Afghan war from which England emerged with triumphant banners but without honor. The height of diplomacy in Russia is considered to be the getting as far as possible from telling the truth when the truth does not forward the purposes of the czar.

FOOLING THE PEOPLE!

The young men who write political editorials for the "leading progressive Republican" paper of Los Angeles frequently betray their ignorance of the political history of the state by the rank assumption that every decent thing in politics hereabouts is new. A recent editorial lauding Gov. Johnson and Senator LaFollette for favoring a presidential primary, is either the output of such ignorance or is an assumption that readers are ignorant and therefore easily imposed upon. As the matter stands at present the party in power in the state can name without any reference to the voters, the delegates to the next national convention of the Republican party. It is very patent to every one with a shred of political sense that a party pretending to believe in the rule of the people, would be committing political suicide to do this.

Therefore the governor and the senator, both of whom have high political ambitions and who do know a good deal about politics, are making a grandstand play by favoring the presidential primary. There is no reason why they should not favor it, for the result will be the same; California will send a LaFollette delegation to Chicago in June. The thing that we object to is the humbuggery of making such a fuss about it. As a matter of fact the instances in which the state committee has named delegates to the national convention in the past have been exceptions rather than the rule. It has been almost the invariable rule for delegates to the national convention to be named at a state convention by delegates elected by the people of the state.

While it often happened that the "slate" fixed up in advance by the organization in control of the party, was adopted by the convention, it was not because the people lacked means to have it otherwise, and there have been occasions when the slate was badly broken. The presidential preference primary is a good measure, but it is not necessary to twist the facts of history so as to make it appear that never before have the people of California had a chance to express themselves. The letter of Senator LaFollette bears the earmarks of insincerity. When he says, "But governor, hard as it will be, etc.," and then proceeds to admonish that the "reactionaries be fought to the last ditch," he demonstrates his skill in setting up a man of straw for the pleasure of knocking it down. Why should the "reactionaries" oppose submitting the question to the people when they know that if it is not submitted, a delegation of "progressives" is sure to be chosen!

THE TROUBLE BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND RUSSIA.

The United States has had so many internal affairs of interest to distract the attention of the people from the world outside, that the general public does not realize that the long time friendly relations existing between the country and Russia are considerably strained just now. Almost any day in congress some ambitious member may spring a resolution bearing on the matter which may result in a rather serious situation. The question is an old one and has been brought up time and again under many administrations, ever since that great American secretary of state, James G Blaine, addressed a serious protest to the Russian government, thirty years ago. The American Jew is the cause of all the trouble.

In 1832 a treaty was made between the United States and Russia. The first article of that treaty reads:

"There shall be between the Territories of the high contracting parties a reciprocal liberty of commerce and navigation. The inhabitants of their respective states shall mutually have liberty to enter the ports, places, and rivers of the Territories of each party wherever foreign commerce is permitted. They shall be at liberty to sojourn and reside in all parts whatsoever of said Territories, in order to attend to their affairs, and they shall enjoy, to that effect, the same security and protection as natives of the country wherein they reside, on condition of their submitting to the laws and ordinances there prevailing, and particularly to the regulations in force concerning commerce."

As regards Jewish American citizens, Russia has always discriminated against them, so that it is almost impossible for them to receive passports from the Russian representatives in this country permitting them to visit Russia.

President Roosevelt expressed himself strongly in the matter, but President Taft is the first president who has done anything in regard to it The president has served notice upon Russia that on January 1, 1913, the treaty above alluded to will be abrogated. At the time this is written the president's action is being debated in congress with every prospect of its being sustained by that body.

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A MONOLOGUE ON SANTA CLAUS

I hear the patter of the reindeer feet upon the roof; the jingling of the merry sleigh bells in the air that has never known the noiseless fall of the snow flakes: I see the miraculous sleigh freighted with the store that is constantly drawn upon but is never diminished and that marvelous figure of the old man with a heart that is ever young! His eyes are bright, his cheeks are red, his quick motions are those of youth endowed with the strength of manhood; nothing indicates age but the snowy whiteness of hair and beard! And down the chimney he comes and I question not the method that he employs, for it is peculiarly his own and not to be looked into too closely. It really looks as though he could not do it, but here he is. Now in the flickering blaze of the light in the fireplace I see his face more clearly and look in his wonderful eyes and get a glimpse there of that which the poet saw when he wrote of "The light that never was on land or sea"—the light of love—love for the little ones whom he knows and understands, and who know and understand him perhaps because of the knowledge which they have not yet outgrown!

I see that wonderful pack that is filled with the toys of childhood, the little dumb messengers of happiness. And blazing with the tiny innumerable lights among its branches—the lights of love again. I can see the Christmas tree, and it is laden with the freight that the reindeer carried through the wintry air! And there are happy children there and in their eyes again that wonderful light of the Christmas time—the light of love! I hear again the tinkling of the mystic bells as they pass away with the last stroke of the clock at midnight and the old man with the heart of perpetual youth and the love-lit eyes has gone from the scope of my vision, but he has left behind him the light that will brighten the world till he comes again! He has lighted anew the smouldering spark of love in the heart of humanity and when he has made the round of the days that constitute the circle of the year, he will come again and renew in the future years as he has in those that are gone that light of love which but for his coming might be obscured if not extinguished by the cold east wind of doubt and daily striving!

CORRESPONDENCE

A Defense of Debs—About Annexation

Editor Glendale News:

However radically you may differ in your views with a large number of your subscribers, we are pleased to give you credit for being generous and fair enough to publish both sides. Many will take issue with you in your unwarranted branding Eugene V. Debs as a demagogue. There are and have been men before the American public who would answer to the definition of that word, but Eugene Debs is not one of them. Do you brand him a demagogue because he is an agitator? Then with equal propriety you would brand Lincoln, Garrison and Wendell Phillips as demagogues. Do you thus stigmatize him because he has cast his lot with the humble poor and used his best efforts to ameliorate their hard condition? Then the Carpenter of Nazareth would also fall under your condemnation.

That Debs is honest and sincere will hardly be disputed. Honesty and sincerity are not the attributes of the demagogue. That he has great ability as a speaker and writer is also acknowledged. Had he been less an idealist, and used his talents to gain wealth and power, regardless of man's inhumanity to man, he could probably long ago have attained what the world calls success. Abraham Lincoln was called a baboon and an ignorant backwoods rail-splitter. When Wendell Phillips identified himself with the Abolitionists he was spurned by his rich and aristocratic friends, the standpat upholders of slavery going so far as to even seek his life. Yes, to the defenders of the then existing order he was everything that was vile and mean, yet posterity has written his name high in the annals of the great and good.

We should not make the mistake of blaming the agitators for the conditions, when in truth it is the conditions that make the agitators. Should you banish or sentence to death every agitator in the land, and leave social conditions unchanged, two would spring up to take the place of every one thus taken. Let us not be too quick to condemn men who are engaged in the world's great movements for the betterment of humanity, for however we may be blinded by ignorance or prejudice, time will give an unerring verdict, and remembering that far in front the cross stands ready and the crackling fagots burn, while the hooting mob of yesterday is silent, we return to gather up the scattered ashes into history's golden urn.

R. GILHOUSEN.

(We publish the above with pleasure, as it shows the difficult position held by a number of people. Our correspondent's idea that because a man is honest he is therefore not a demagogue is not in acordance with the definition of the word, "a ringleader of a faction or of the rabble; a popular and factious orator or agitator; a factious or seditious leader." This seems to fit Mr. Debs as if it was made for him. Our asylums are filled with honest, well intentioned people, but society with the instinct of self-preservation sees to it that they do not run at large. The idea that an individual can do no wrong, but that the responsibility for his actions can be laid upon an impersonal "system," is about as dangerous as any that can be promulgated, and should not be held by any sane person outside the ranks of the anarchists.—Ed.)

ANNEXING CASA VERDUGO.

Editor NEWS:

A self-constituted committee has fixed the north line of the new annexation district to include all of Casa Verdugo region east of the Pacific avenue north to the foothills—except the Thom and Ross ranches. Across those tracts the north line is to run east and west 150 feet north of Doran street and 300 feet south of the "wash."

This boundary is a "gold brick" to those who would vote annexation to get protection from the "wash." It is understood that Tom Watson (committee of one) has agreed with Thom and Ross to leave out practically all their ranches and the "wash" on condition that they bear a share of the expense of fixing the "wash" and giving the city a contract right in improving the part of the "wash" running across their ranches. This is a "gold brick," because the city (1) could not assess the expense against city lots for an improvement outside the city limits, and (2) could not appropriate any funds from the city general treasury for that purpose since there is no law allowing such an expenditure. Ergo, no "wash" fixed.

That boundary is also a "gold brick" and a serious wrong to every property owner in the Casa Verdugo "pocket," north of the "wash" and east of the railroad. It cuts them off practically, at the will of Thom and Ross from ever getting an outlet to Verdugo road and Verdugo park, an outlet of the greatest importance to our entire community, including as well that portion lying west of the railroad. Such an outlet would easily put all that noble foothill region to the front where it belongs. It seems to me, wisdom would require the movers in this annexation scheme to call a mass meeting of our voters at the M. E. church to consider the proper boundaries. Some four men up here have assumed to fix these. They are reckoning without the voters, I think. There have been three different descriptions of the Thom and Ross line shown our people. I believe in getting up the outside petitions. I am for annexation, if our interests are protected. Our people will demand the same thing before voting to join.

SIDNEY DELL.

AT THE HIGH SCHOOL.

The debate last Friday evening at the High School auditorium drew a large audience. It was Glendale versus Santa Monica, as announced last week. Glendale was represented by Miss Hazel Evarts, the winner of last year's honors, and Harold Story. Walter Edmunds and Harrison Munroe represented for Santa Monica. Glendale won by a large majority of points, the judges being A. T. Merrill of Los Angeles High; Blanche A. Graham of Hollywood and E. H. Barker of Los Angeles Polytechnic. The same evening the Glendale team at Santa Monica lost in the debate with the Santa Monica champions. The Glendale debaters certainly made a good argument for the furnishing of free textbooks by the state.

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ATHLETICS.

Wednesday afternoon of last week the Glendale basketball team played the Huntington Park team on the home grounds and beat them as a matter of course. The score was 20 to 8. The Glendale boys also won the second league game of the season last Saturday from the South Pasadena team on the latter's grounds; score 17 to 13. School reconvenes January 2d after the holiday vacation.

P. E. O. LUNCHEON.

Chapter L, P. E. O. convened Wednesday, at the home of Mrs. R. E. Chase, and experienced one of the most enjoyable days of the year. The forenoon was devoted to a business meeting after which luncheon was served. Table decorations were appropriate to the Christmas season and were most dainty and artistic. During the afternoon a literary program was rendered which proved to be of exceptional interest. Mrs. R. E. Chase gave a reading describing Grand Canyon, and Mrs. John Pirtle a paper on the Mammoth Cave. Miss Ruth Byram spoke on her trip to Alaska and her address held the spellbound attention of one and all. Her descriptions were wonderfully beautiful and realistic and at the close she left her audience feeling as if they personally had witnessed the entire trip from Seattle to Alaska and back again.

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Spain's Free and Easy Railways.

An idea of the free and easy methods of the railways in Spain is given in this incident, related by Henry A. Franck in "Four Months Afoot In Spain:"

When I reached the station next morning the platform gate was locked and the train I had hoped to take was legally departed. A railway hanger on in rags and hemp sandals, however, climbed the iron picket fence and shouted a word to the engineer. Then, beckoning to me to follow, he trotted back into the building and rapped authoritatively on the closed window of the ticket office.

"Senor," he said as the agent looked out upon us, "be kind enough to sell this caballero a ticket."

"The train is gone," answered the agent.

"Not so, senor," replied the bundle of rags haughtily. "I am having it held that this cavalier may take it."

"Ah, very well," responded the official, and, having sold me the ticket, he handed to the hanger on the key to the platform gate. As I passed through it the latter held out his hand, into which I dropped a copper.

"Muchisimas gracias, caballero," he said, bowing profoundly, "and may your grace forever travel with God."

Germs in the Teeth.

Everybody knows in a general way how important it is to give the teeth a good cleaning and to rinse the mouth out first thing in the morning. The object, of course, is to remove the accumulation of bacteria which gathers on the teeth, gums, tongue and palate during the hours of sleep. How many germs do you suppose accumulate during the night's sleep? In answer to this question E. C. Bousfield, writing in the London Lancet, gives some interesting and rather startling figures, which are worth quoting. He states that he has found the mouth on waking in the morning to obtain about 3,000,000,000 bacteria capable of being removed by a fivefold rinsing with twenty-five cubic centimeters of water each time. After ordinary washing of the teeth with a hard toothbrush about one-fourth the number could still be rinsed away. After using tooth paste only 120,000,000 were left.

Gorillas.

At present there is not a live gorilla in America. There have never been more than three, and only one of these lived more than a few weeks.

"I would give $10,000 for a gorilla in good condition," said the superintendent of a noted zoological garden, "and we could get the money back in a few months owing to the crowds of people who would come to see it. A gorilla would be a great drawing card, but gorillas cannot be got for money. They grow sometimes to 400 pounds in weight. Their home is a small strip of marshy land on the west coast of Africa. The strip is perhaps 250 miles long and 100 miles deep, and the gorillas stay back from the coast and are hard to get. Once out of their native element they die from climatic changes and lack of proper food."—Detroit Free Press.

Caste In Music.

"Sometimes it is a disadvantage to have a musician with a reputation at the head of a hotel orchestra," said a hotel manager. "We found this out not long ago, when people from the middle west, who are among our best patrons, wanted our orchestra to play at a wedding in which they were interested and which took place in a private house. As the company got a little warmed up, they decided they would have some dancing, so the hostess asked the orchestra leader to play. Would he? Not on your life. He was an artist, he was, and it was not his business to descend to playing for dances. The result was that one of the guests had to play the piano, and we almost lost the trade of the family we were trying to be especially nice to."—New York Sun.

The Advantage of Waiting.

Her Father—But, my boy, surely you are too young to marry Aurelia. How old are you? Her Suitor—One and twenty, sir. Her Father—And she is twenty-seven—too great a disparity. Why not wait half a dozen years? Then you'll be twenty-seven and she'll probably be just about the same age as you.

ORDINANCE NO. 151.

AN ORDINANCE DECLARING THE INTENTION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE CITY OF GLENDALE TO CHANGE AND ESTABLISH THE GRADE OF SIXTH STREET FROM THE EAST LINE OF ADAMS STREET TO A POINT 631.86 FEET EASTERLY THEREFROM.

The Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale do ordain as follows:

Section 1. That it is the intention of the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale to change and establish the grade of Sixth Street from the East line of Adams Street to a point 631.86 feet Easterly therefrom in accordance with the following elevations:

At the Northeast corner of Sixth Street and Adams Street the grade shall be 553.50 and at the Southeast corner of Sixth Street and Adams Street the grade shall be 552.40.

At a point on the South line of Adams Street 50 feet Easterly from the East line of Adams Street the grade shall be 552.80.

At a point on the North line of Sixth Street 631.86 feet Easterly from the East line of Adams Street the grade shall be 552.20 and at a point on the South line of Sixth Street opposite thereto, the grade shall be 551.60.

That between these points the grade shall conform to straight lines joining those points on the same side of the street, excepting that the points situated 631.86 feet Easterly from the East line of Adams Street shall be the points of intersection of tangents of vertical curves which shall extend 10 feet Westerly from said points of intersection, and that said curves shall supplant the straight lines within said limits.

The grades given are in feet above the City Datum Plane and are on the property lines of the street.

Sec. 2. That the proceedings for the aforesaid change of grade shall be under the provisions of the act of the Legislature of the State of California, designated and known as the "Change of Grade Act of 1909," approved April 21st, 1909.

Sec. 3. The GLENDALE NEWS a weekly newspaper of general circulation, published and circulated in said City, is hereby designated as the newspaper in which this Ordinance and notice of the passage thereof shall be published in the manner and by the persons required by law.

Sec. 4. The Superintendent of Streets of said City is hereby directed to post notices of the passage of this Ordinance in the manner and in the form required by law, and to cause a similar notice to be published by two insertions in said newspaper in the manner required by law.

Sec. 5. The City Clerk of the City of Glendale is hereby directed to post this Ordinance conspicuously for two days on or near the Chamber Door of the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale, and to cause the same to be published by two insertions in the manner required by law, in said newspaper.

Adopted and approved this 11th day of December, 1911.

JOHN ROBERT WHITE, JR.,
President of the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale.
[Seal]
Attest:

G. B. WOODBERRY,
City Clerk of the City of Glendale.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,)
)ss.
CITY OF GLENDALE.)

I, G. B. WOODBERRY, City Clerk of the City of Glendale, do hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance was duly adopted by the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale, State of California, and signed by the President of said Board at a regular meeting thereof held on the 11th day of December, 1911, and that the same was passed by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes: Coker, Lane, Watson, White Williams.

Noes: None.

G. B. WOODBERRY,
City Clerk of the City of Glendale.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC WORK

Public notice is hereby given, that at its meeting held on the 20th day of November, 1911, the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale adopted a Resolution designated as Resolution of Intention No. 427, declaring its intention to order the following improvement to be made, to-wit:

Section 1. That the public interest and convenience require and it is the intention of the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale to close up, vacate and abandon for street and alley purposes all that certain portion of that

ALLEY

twenty feet, (20) feet in width in Block Three (3) of the Town of Glendale as per map recorded in Book 21, Page 90 of Miscellaneous Records of Los Angeles County, California, described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the North line of Third Street distant 198.65 feet North 89 degrees 35 minutes 30 seconds West from the Southeast corner of Lot 27 of said Block 3; thence North 18 degrees 30 minutes East 95.98 feet; thence North 0 degrees 17 minutes 30 seconds West 62.10 feet; thence South 18 degrees 30 seconds West 161.29 feet to the North line of Third Street; thence South 89 degrees 35 seconds 30 minutes East 21.04 feet to the point of beginning.

Sec. 2. That the exterior boundary of the district of land affected by said work of improvement and to be assessed to pay the damages, costs and expenses thereof are hereby specified and declared as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the Southwest corner of Lot 26 of Block 3 as aforedescribed; thence Northeasterly 204.75 feet to the most Northerly corner of Lot 20 of said Block 3; thence Easterly along the Northerly line of said lot to the most Easterly corner thereof; thence Easterly to the Northwest corner of Lot 29 of said Block 3; thence Southerly to a point on the North line of Third Street 147.73 feet Westerly from the Southeast corner of Lot 27 of said Block 3; thence Westerly along the North line of Third Street to the point of beginning, excepting therefrom any portion of any public street or alley which may be included within above mentioned assessment district.

Reference is hereby made to said Resolution No. 427 for further particulars of said work.

EDWARD M. LYNCH,
Street Superintendent of the City of Glendale.

CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS.
Fictitious Firm Name.

The undersigned does hereby certify that I am conducting a business at 109 S. Spring St., Los Angeles, California, under the fictitious firm name of College Post Card Shop, and that said firm is composed of the following person, whose name and address is as follows, to wit:

Edward C. Meyer, 1583 W. Forty-ninth St., Los Angeles, Cal.

Witness my hand this 16th day of November, 1911.

EDWARD C. MEYER.

State of California,
County of Los Angeles—ss.

On this 16th day of November, in the year nineteen hundred and eleven, before me, Wirt C. Smith, a Notary Public in and for said County, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Edward C. Meyer, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal.
[Seal] WIRT C. SMITH,
Notary Public in and for said County of Los Angeles, State of California.

CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS.
Fictitious Firm Name.

The undersigned does hereby certify that I am conducting a Manufacturing business at 824 E. Ninth St., Los Angeles, California, under the fictitious firm name of E. T. Galley Cabinet Co., and that said firm is composed of the following person, whose name and address is as follows, to wit:

E. T. Galley, 1147 E. Ninth St., Los Angeles, Cal.

Witness my hand this 16th day of November, 1911.

ELMER T. GALLEY.

State of California,
County of Los Angeles—ss.

On this 16th day of November, in the year nineteen hundred and eleven, before me, Wirt C. Smith, a Notary Public in and for said County, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Elmer T. Galley, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal.
[Seal] WIRT C. SMITH,
Notary Public in and for said County of Los Angeles, State of California.

CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS.
Fictitious Firm Name.

The undersigned do hereby certify that we are conducting a lumber business at First and Normandie Avenue, Los Angeles, California, under the fictitious firm name of Cahuenga Mill and Lumber Co., and that said firm is composed of the following person, whose name and address is as follows, to wit:

Pico Heights Lumber Co., Sixteenth and Berendo Sts., Los Angeles, Cal.

Witness the corporation name this 18th day of September, 1911.

PICO HEIGHTS LUMBER CO., INC.
Geo. F. Guy, Pres.

State of California,
County of Los Angeles—ss.

On this 19th day of September, in the year nineteen hundred and eleven A. D., before me, Wirt C. Smith, a Notary Public in and for the said County of Los Angeles, State of California, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared George F. Guy, known to me to be the President of Pico Heights Lumber Co., the Corporation which executed the within and annexed instrument, and acknowledged to me that such Corporation executed the same.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the day and year in this certificate first above written.

[Seal] WIRT C. SMITH,
Notary Public in and for Los Angeles County, State of California.

CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS.
Fictitious Firm Name.

The undersigned do hereby certify that we are conducting a business at 110 Winston St., Los Angeles, California, under the fictitious firm name of Lorbeer Electrical Supply Co., and that said firm is composed of the following persons, whose names and addresses are as follows, to wit:

Edward G. Lorbeer, 1551 West Seventh St., Los Angeles, Cal.

James Irvine, 1119 Trenton St., Los Angeles, Cal.

Witness our hands this 24th day of November, 1911.

EDWARD G. LORBEER.
JAMES IRVINE.

State of California,
County of Los Angeles—ss.

On this 24th day of November, in the year nineteen hundred and eleven, before me, Wirt C. Smith, a Notary Public in and for said County, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Edward G. Lorbeer and James Irvine, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within-named instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal.
[Seal] WIRT C. SMITH,
Notary Public in and for said County of Los Angeles, State of California.

CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS.
Fictitious Firm Name.

The undersigned does hereby certify that I am conducting a business at 632 South Main St., Los Angeles, California, under the fictitious firm name of Standard Supply Co., and that said firm is composed of the following person, whose name and address is as follows, to wit:

Alexander F. Thornton, Ramona Park, Alhambra, Cal.

Witness my hand this 27th day of November, 1911.

ALEXANDER F. THORNTON.

State of California,
County of Los Angeles—ss.

On this 27th day of November, in the year nineteen hundred and eleven, before me, Wirt C. Smith, a Notary Public in and for said County, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Alexander F. Thornton, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal.
[Seal] WIRT C. SMITH,
Notary public in and for said County of Los Angeles, State of California.

CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS.
Fictitious Firm Name.

The undersigned does hereby certify that I am conducting a business at 120 Ord St., Los Angeles, California, under the fictitious firm name of Practical Pattern Shop, and that said firm is composed of the following person, whose name and address is as follows, to wit:

Bernhard G. Carlson, 308 South Burlington Ave., Los Angeles, Cal.

Witness my hand this 27th day of November, 1911.

BERNHARD G. CARLSSON.

State of California,
County of Los Angeles—ss.

On this 27th day of November, in the year nineteen hundred and eleven, before me, Wirt C. Smith, a Notary Public in and for said County, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Bernhard G. Carlsson, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal.
[Seal] WIRT C. SMITH,
Notary Public in and for said County of Los Angeles, State of California.

CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS.
Fictitious Firm Name.

The undersigned does hereby certify that I am conducting a business at 502 South Main St., Los Angeles, California, under the fictitious firm name of Reliable Brokerage Company, and that said firm is composed of the following person, whose name and address is as follows, to wit:

Joseph Albanesi, 694 East Fifty-fourth St., Los Angeles, Cal.

Witness my hand this 4th day of December, 1911.

JOSEPH ALBANESI.

State of California,
County of Los Angeles—ss.

On this 4th day of December, in the year nineteen hundred and eleven, before me, Wirt C. Smith, a Notary Public in and for said County, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Joseph Albanesi, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal.
[Seal] WIRT C. SMITH,
Notary Public in and for said County of Los Angeles, State of California.

CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS.
Fictitious Firm Name.

The undersigned does hereby certify that I am conducting a business at 460 East Third St., Los Angeles, California, under the fictitious firm name of Wilcox Motor Transfer Company, and that said firm is composed of the following person, whose name and address is as follows, to wit:

George Petermann, 647 St. Paul Ave., Los Angeles, Cal.

Witness my hand this 5th day of December, 1911.

GEORGE PETERMANN.

State of California,
County of Los Angeles—ss.

On this 5th day of December, in the year nineteen hundred and eleven, before me, Wirt C. Smith, a Notary Public in and for said County, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared George Petermann, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal.
[Seal] WIRT C. SMITH,
Notary Public in and for said County of Los Angeles, State of California."

CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS.
Fictitious Firm Name.

The undersigned do hereby certify that we are conducting a business at 110 N. Avenue 22, Los Angeles, California, under the fictitious firm name of Edgewood Manufacturing Company, and that said firm is composed of the following persons, whose names and addresses are as follows, to wit:

Isaac S. Forncrook, 248 Pasadena Ave., South Pasadena, Cal.

Fred B. Briggs, 416 North Vermont Ave., Los Angeles, Cal.

Witness our hands this 27th day of November, 1911.

ISAAC S. FORNCROOK.
FRED B. BRIGGS.

State of California,
County of Los Angeles—ss.

On this 27th day of November, in the year nineteen hundred and eleven, before me, Wirt C. Smith, a Notary Public in and for said County, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Isaac S. Forncrook and Fred B. Briggs, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal.
[Seal] WIRT C. SMITH,
Notary Public in and for said County of Los Angeles, State of California.

CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS.
Fictitious Firm Name.

The undersigned do hereby certify that we are conducting a business at 838 Vincent St., Los Angeles, California, under the fictitious firm name of Ideal Wet Wash Laundry, and that said firm is composed of the following persons, whose names and addresses are as follows, to wit:

William C. Buchta, 416 West Seventeenth St., Los Angeles, Cal.

Walter T. Wilson, 117 Fresno St., Los Angeles, Cal.

Witness our hands this 2nd day of December, 1911.

WILLIAM C. BUCHTA.
WALTER T. WILSON.

State of California,
County of Los Angeles—ss.

On this 2nd day of December, in the year nineteen hundred and eleven, before me, Wirt C. Smith, a Notary Public in and for said County, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared William C. Buchta and Walter T. Wilson, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal.
[Seal] WIRT C. SMITH,
Notary Public in and for said County of Los Angeles, State of California.

CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS.
Fictitious Firm Name.

The undersigned do hereby certify that we are conducting a business at 432½ South Hill St., Los Angeles, California, under the fictitious firm name of The Kelp Curio Store, and that said firm is composed of the following persons, whose names and addresses are as follows, to wit:

Elizabeth M. Gubsch, 3404 Glen Albyn Drive, Los Angeles, Cal.

Elsie Maywald, 3404 Glen Albyn Drive, Los Angeles, Cal.

Witness our hands this 7th day of November, 1911.

ELIZABETH M. GUBSCH.
ELSIE MAYWALD.

State of California,
County of Los Angeles—ss.

On this 7th day of November, in the year nineteen hundred and eleven, before me, Wirt C. Smith, a Notary Public in and for said County, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Elizabeth M. Gubsch and Elsie Maywald, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal.
[Seal] WIRT C. SMITH,
Notary Public in and for said County of Los Angeles, State of California.

CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS.
Fictitious Firm Name.

The undersigned does hereby certify that he is conducting an information bureau business at Los Angeles, California, under the fictitious firm name of Independent Information Bureau, and that said firm is composed of the following person, whose name and address is as follows, to wit:

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CHAPTER VII.

A HARD BITTEN GANG.

NEXT morning Joan and Sheldon, at breakfast, were aroused by a swelling murmur of angry voices. The first rule of Berande had been broken. The compound had been entered without permission or command, and all the 200 laborers, with the exception of the boss boys, were guilty of the offense. They crowded up, threatening and shouting, close under the front veranda. Sheldon leaned over the veranda railing, looking down upon them, while Joan stood slightly back. When the uproar was stilled two brothers stood forth. They were large men, splendidly muscled, and with faces unusually ferocious, even for Solomon islanders. One was Carin-Jama, otherwise the Silent, and the other was Bellin-Jama, the Boaster. Both had served on the Queensland plantations in the old days, and they were known as evil characters wherever white men met and gamed.

"We fella boy we want 'm them two black fella Mary," said Bellin-Jama.

"What do you want along black fella Mary?" Sheldon asked.

"Kill 'm," said Bellin-Jama.

"What name you fella boy talk along me?" Sheldon demanded, with a show of rising anger. "Big bell he ring. You no belong along here. You belong along field. Bime by, big fella bell he ring, you stop along kai-kai, you come talk along me about two fella Mary. Now all you boy get along out of here."

The gang waited to see what Bellin-Jama would do, and Bellin-Jama stood still.

"Me no go," he said.

"You watch out, Bellin-Jama," Sheldon said sharply, "or I send you along Tulagi one big fella lashing. My word, you catch 'm strong fella."

Bellin-Jama glared up belligerently.

"You want 'm fight," he said, putting up his fists in approved returned Queenslander style.

Now, in the Solomons, where whites are few and blacks are many, and where the whites do the ruling, such an offer to fight is the deadliest insult. Blacks are not supposed to dare so highly as to offer to fight a white man.

A murmur of admiration at Bellin-Jama's bravery went up from the listening blacks. But Bellin-Jama's voice was still ringing in the air, and the murmuring was just beginning, when Sheldon cleared the rail, leaping straight downward. From the top of the railing to the ground, it was fifteen feet, and Bellin-Jama was directly beneath. Sheldon's flying body struck him and crushed him to earth. No blows were needed to be struck. The black had been knocked helpless. Joan, startled by the unexpected leap, saw Carin-Jama, the Silent, reach out and seize Sheldon by the throat as he was halfway to his feet, while the ten score blacks surged forward for the killing. Her revolver was out, and Carin-Jama let go his grip, reeling backward with a bullet in his shoulder. In that fleeting instant of action, she had thought to shoot him in the arm, which, at that short distance, might reasonably have been achieved. But the wave of savages leaping forward had changed her shot to the shoulder. It was a moment when not the slightest chance could be taken.

The instant his throat was released, Sheldon struck out with his fist, and Carin-Jama joined his brother on the ground. The mutiny was quelled, and five minutes more saw the brothers being carried to the hospital, and the mutineers, marshalled by the gang bosses, on the way to the fields.

When Sheldon came up on the veranda, he found Joan collapsed on the steamer chair and in tears. The sight unnerved him as the row just over could not possibly have done. He glanced down at her helplessly, and moistened his lips.

"I want to thank you," he began. "There isn't a doubt but what you saved my life, and I must say"—

She abruptly removed her hands, showing a wrathful and tear stained face.

"You brute! You coward!" she cried. "You have made me shoot a man, and I never shot a man in my life before."

"It's only a flesh wound, and he isn't going to die," Sheldon managed to interpolate.

"What of that? I shot him just the same. There was no need for you to jump down there that way. It was brutal and cowardly."

"Oh, now I say"— he began soothingly.

"Go away. Don't you see I hate you! hate you! Oh, won't you go away!"

Sheldon was white with anger.

"Then why in the name of common sense did you shoot?" he demanded.

"Because you were a white man," she sobbed. "And dad would never have left any white man in the lurch. But it was your fault. You had no right to get yourself in such a position. Besides, it wasn't necessary."

"I am afraid I don't understand," he said, shortly, turning away. "We will talk it over later on."

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"I suppose I've been unforgivably foolish," was her greeting when he returned several hours later from a round of the plantation. "I've been to the hospital, and the man is getting along all right. It is not a serious hurt."

Sheldon felt unaccountably pleased and happy at the changed aspect of her mood.

"You see, you don't understand the situation," he began. "In the first place, the blacks have to be ruled sternly. Kindness is all very well, but you can't rule them by kindness only. I accept all that you say about the Hawaiians and Tahitians. You say that they can be handled that way, and I believe you. I have had no experience with them. But you have had no experience with the blacks, and I ask you to believe me. They are different from your natives. You are used to Polynesians. These boys are Melanesians. They're blacks. They're niggers—look at their kinky hair. And they're a whole lot lower than the African niggers. Really, you know, there is a vast difference.

"They possess no gratitude, no sympathy, no kindliness. If you are kind to them they think you are a fool. If you are gentle with them they think you are afraid. And when they think you are afraid, watch out, for they will get you. Just to show you, let me state the one invariable process in a black man's brain when on his native heath he encounters a stranger. His first thought is one of fear. Will the stranger kill him? His next thought, seeing that he is not killed is, Can he kill the stranger? There was Packard, a colonial trader, some twelve miles down the coast. He boasted that he ruled by kindness and never struck a blow. The result was that he did not rule at all. He used to come down in his whaleboat to visit Hughie and me. When his boat's crew decided to go home he had to cut his visit short to accompany them. I remember one Sunday afternoon when Packard had accepted our invitation to stop to dinner. The soup was just served when Hughie saw a nigger peering in through the door. He went out to him, for it was a violation of Berande custom. Any nigger has to send in word by the house boys and to keep outside the compound. This man, who was one of Packard's boat's crew, was on the veranda. And he knew better, too. 'What name?' said Hughie. 'You tell 'm white man close up we fella boat's crew go along. He no come now, we fella boy no wait. We go.'

"And just then Hughie fetched him a clout that knocked him clean down the stairs and off the veranda."

"But it was needlessly cruel," Joan objected. "You wouldn't treat a white man that way."

"And that's just the point. He wasn't a white man. He was a low black nigger, and he was deliberately insulting, not alone his own white master, but every white master in the Solomons. He insulted me. He insulted Hughie. He insulted Berande."

"Of course, according to your lights, to your formula of the rule of the strong"—

"Yes," Sheldon interrupted, "but it was according to the formula of the rule of the weak that Packard ruled. And what was the result? I am still alive. Packard is dead. He was unswervingly kind and gentle to his boys, and his boys waited till one day he was down with fever. His head is over on Malaita now. They carried away two whaleboats as well filled with the loot of the store. Then there was Captain Mackenzie of the ketch Minota. He believed in kindness and paraded around the deck without even a revolver on him. He was tomahawked. His head remains in Malaita. It was suicide. So was Packard's finish suicide. You must understand one thing, Berande, bar none, is by far the worst plantation in the Solomons so far as the labor is concerned. And how it came to be so proves your point. The previous owners of Berande were not discreetly kind. They were a pair of unadulterated brutes. One was a down east Yankee, as I believe they are called, and the other was a guzzling German.

"They were slave drivers. To begin with, they bought their labor from Johnny Re-blowed, the most notorious recruiter in the Solomons. He is working out a ten years' sentence in Fiji now, for the wanton killing of a black boy. During his last days here he had made himself so obnoxious that the natives on Malaita would have nothing to do with him. The only way he could get recruits was by hurrying to the spot whenever a murder or series of murders occurred. The murderers were usually only too willing to sign on and get away to escape vengeance. Down here they call such escapes 'pier head jumps.' There is suddenly a roar from the beach, and a nigger runs down to the water pursued by clouds of spears and arrows. Of course, Johnny Re-blowed's whaleboat is lying ready to pick him up. In his last days Johnny got nothing but pier head jumps.

"And the first owners of Berande bought his recruits—a hard bitten gang of murderers. They were all five year boys. Well, that's the gang of murderers we've got on our hands now. Of course, some are dead, some have been killed, and there are others serving sentences at Tulagi. Very little clearing did those first owners do, and less planting. It was war all the time. They had one manager killed. One of the partners had his shoulder slashed nearly off by a cane knife. The other was speared on two different occasions. They were chased away—literally chased away—by their own niggers. And along came poor Hughie and me, two new chums, to take hold of that hard bitten gang. We did not know the situation, and we had bought Berande, and there was nothing to do but hang on and muddle through somehow.

"At first we made the mistake of indiscreet kindness. We tried to rule by persuasion and fair treatment. The niggers concluded that we were afraid. Then came the day when Hughie reprimanded one of the boys, and was nearly killed by the gang. The only thing that saved him was the number on top of him, which enabled me to reach the spot in time.

"Then began the rule of the strong hand. It was either that or quit, and we had sunk about all our money into the venture, and we could not quit. And besides, our pride was involved. We had started out to do something, and we were so made that we just had to go on with it. Do you know, we have been unable to get white men in. We've offered the managership to half a dozen. I won't say they were afraid, for they were not. But they did not consider it healthy—at least that is the way it was put by the last one who declined our offer. So Hughie and I did the managing ourselves."

"And when he died you were prepared to go on all alone!" Joan cried, with shining eyes.

"I thought I'd muddle through. And now, Miss Lackland, please be charitable when I seem harsh, and remember that the situation is unparalleled down here. We've got a bad crowd, and we're making them work."

Joan nodded but remained silent. She was too occupied in glimpsing the vision of the one lone white man as she had first seen him, helpless from fever, a collapsed wraith in a steamer chair, who, up to the last heart beat, by some strange alchemy of race, was pledged to mastery.

"It is a pity," she said. "But the white man has to rule, I suppose."

"I don't like it," Sheldon assured her. "To save my life I can't imagine how I ever came here. But here I am, and I can't run away."

"Blind destiny of race," she said, faintly smiling. "We whites have been land robbers and sea robbers from remotest time. It is in our blood, I guess, and we can't get away from it."

"I never thought about it so abstractly," he confessed. "I've been too busy puzzling over why I came here."

(To be continued)

Serving His Country.

A certain public office has been the object of much satire because of the passive nature of the incumbent's duties—except when he is called by tragic occurrence into the thick of action. So very negative, indeed, is the work of this public servant that he sometimes serves his country most efficiently by being absent, as appears in this extract from Moses Colt Tyler's journal, written in Washington years ago:

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"'Yes, Mrs. Judd,' assented the president, 'but you observe that the vice president has very prudently stayed at home.'"

Talking Canaries.

Talking canaries are a great rarity, but several authenticated instances are on record. At Norwood, England, in 1858 a lady had a canary bird which began by repeating a word which its mistress had often used to it—"Kissie, kissie"—and by following the word up by an imitation of the sound of a kiss. After a time the bird repeated other words until it had a large vocabulary of phrases, one of which consisted of five words. Again, in 1863, a talking canary was exhibited in Bath, with a vocabulary such as is generally taught to parrots, and another talking canary was exhibited for a few weeks in this country, but it unfortunately caught cold and died. In Germany and the Tyrol canaries are taught to imitate the notes of other birds and whistle simple tunes, and the words which it imitates may be regarded as a mere development or variant of its musical notes.

The Lerot and the Snake.

Every one has heard of the remarkable combats of the Indian mongoose with venomous snakes, in which little rikki-tikki-tavi comes off victor. The fact that the mongoose invariably survives has led to the suggestion that it is immune to snake poison. Other animals said to be immune are the pig and the hedgehog. The experiments of British naturalists show that an animal of the dormouse family must be added to the list of the immune. This animal is known as the lerot and is said to fight fiercely with vipers. Large doses of viper's poison were injected into one lerot, from which injection no ill effects followed. On one occasion a lerot was bitten badly in the eye by a viper, and no signs of poisoning occurred. There can, it is thought, be no doubt that the lerot is immune to snake poison.

Heine Made Goethe Smile.

When I visited Goethe, in Weimar, and stood before him, I involuntarily glanced at his side to see whether the eagle was not there with the lightning in his beak. I was nearly speaking Greek to him; but, as I observed that he understood German, I stated to him in German that the plums on the road between Jena and Weimar were very good. I had for so many long winter nights thought over what lofty and profound things I would say to Goethe if ever I saw him. And when I saw him at last I said to him that the Saxon plums were very good! And Goethe smiled.—Heinrich Heine, "Reisebilder."

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BUSINESS PLACE CHANGED.

Watson & Son, nurserymen, have remodeled a portion of their building on Fourth street, and established a sales room for nursery stock and seeds next to Barager's furniture store. They still have their yards on Howard street.

IF YOUR TURKEY COMES

From Glendale Market it will be right

INSTALLATION.

The members of Unity Lodge, No. 368, F. & A. M., and their wives, and all Eastern Stars of the valley, are invited to attend the installation of officers of Glen Eyrie Chapter, No. 237, O. E. S., on December 28, at 8 o'clock, at Masonic Hall.

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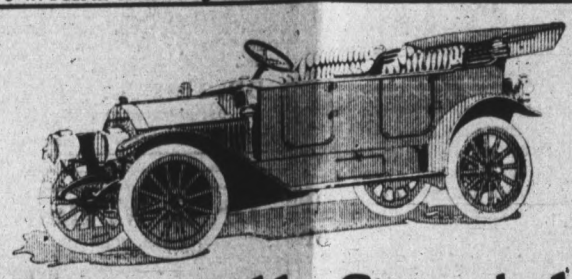

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WESTERN CELEBRITIES IN THE EAST AS TOLD BY A GLENDALE RESIDENT.

Although James H. Wells, Jr., says California fruit and climate are good enough for him," yet he writes exuberently of the snow in Detroit of which there has been an unprecedented fall up to date.

James left Glendale in August, stopping with friends in various eastern points, and visiting parks, art museums, a Carnegie plant and the Westinghouse company's immense works in Pittsburg, where his cousin is at the head of the electrical designing department. At the completion of his sight-seeing tour, he became a part of the office force of twenty of the Detroit Chamber of Commerce. Among many of the dignitaries entertained by this organization during the fall of especial interest to us of California were those of the "Western Governor's Special," whose train of eleven cars arrived in Detroit Thanksgiving morning. California was the only state having a whole car for exhibition purposes. Of this occasion James writes in part in a private letter:

"Melford was at the head of arrangements for the board of commerce, whose guests the visitors were, and Mr. W——, city alderman; GV— and I helped assign the guests to autos, after they left their train, to send them to the churches and opera house, where the governors spoke at the Thanksgiving services. While they were at the churches we were putting place cards at a $2.50 luncheon at the Pontchartrain. When they came from the churches, Milford, Mr. W——, and I ushered them to their seats at table. Among those whom I ushered were Governor Norris of Montana, Governor Hawley of Idaho, and Mr. Brown, the official representative of the Panama Pacific International exposition. My seat was next to Mr. "Bill" Hawley, the Oregon "Sand "Land Baron and Cattle King."

I had the job of loading them into autos to take them to the depot and everything went off very smoothly and the train pulled out right on the dot of two, as scheduled.

Governor West of Detroit said that Detroit had been the only place where everything was done on schedule. He said, "In Detroit we have been kept right on the dot all the time and we appreciate it."

Mrs. A. W. Dow of Orange street has issued invitations for a dinner party which will be held on Christmas day.

The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph County commenced work Wednesday on their underground conduit along Fourth street.

At the time it was first proposed to install ornamental lights throughout the main streets, the telephone company promised to do their portion of the work of clearing the streets of poles and to put their lines on Fourth street underground, provided the other utilities along the street would also take steps to improve their lines.

About a month ago the company completed some of the preliminary work on the laterals, and Wednesday a large force appeared and commenced digging trenches for the main conduit, which will be in place within a few days.

The company has just completed an underground line down Brand as far as Maple street, and this present work still further improves conditions in our streets.

SCHOOL DISTRICTS CONSOLIDATED.

By action of the board of supervisors at their meeting this week the school districts of Glendale City and West Glendale are now consolidated. By request of Supt. Keppel all of the members of the two boards of trustees placed in his hands their resignations. Although up to this time the appointees have received no official notice, it is presumed that Mr. Keppel in accordance with previous declaration of his intentions, appointed the following trustees to hold office until the regular election which occurs April next: R. A. Blackburn, J. O. Elliott and F. S. Balthis.

FRATERNAL BROTHERHOOD.

Last Friday evening the Fraternal Brotherhood gathered together in the K. of P. Hall, probably the largest gathering of members ever seen in Glendale. Four new members were initiated. Refreshments were served after the lodge meeting, and after that the floor was cleared for dancing. It was one of the jolliest gatherings this organization has ever held here. Arrangements were made for a Christmas tree, which will be the feature of this (Friday) evening's meeting.

The installatioe of officers of Glen Eyrie Chapter, O. E. S., will be held in the Masonic hall on Brand boulevard, Thursday evening, December 28. All Masons and wives and all Eastern Stars of the city of Glendale and vicinity are most cordially invited to be present.

ORNAMENTAL LIGHTS.

At the call of the Board of Trustees there was a public meeting of the property owners of Fourth street Brand boulevard and Glendale avenue last Tuesday evening at the city hall, to take up for discussion the proposed ornamental street lighting on those streets, for which the property owners have to pay.

The meeting had been well advertised, and there were a large number present when Chairman White of the Board of Trustees called the meeting to order.

Mr. White explained that while it was evident that there was a strong sentiment among the frontage owners affected, in favor of the improvement, still there were some who might not have understood what it involved in the way of payments, and that there might be a desire to change some of the features of the plan.

Mr. Lynch gave a short history of the project and a description of what was planned to accomplish, and stated that the Sunset Telephone Company had commenced work on an underground conduit on Fourth street, as they had promised to do in case the ornamental lights were installed.

After some discussion of the different features of the installation, a motion was put to indefinitely postpone action, but this was voted down about five to one. It was then moved that the project be carried out as planned, and that three months be allowed for payment of assessments. The ayes carried this motion so strongly that no one took the trouble to vote no, and the meeting adjourned with the understanding that the lights are to be installed in accordance with the proposition as originally outlined.

The improvement on which the meeting voted is the erection of ornamental iron standards, of five lights each, to be placed on each side of Fourth street from Central avenue to Everett street, on Brand boulevard from Third street to Sixth street, and on Glendale avenue from Third street to Fifth street, at intervals of about one hundred feet. In addition to this, the Sunset Telephone Company is to place its wires underground on Fourth street and Brand boulevard, and the light department of the city is to remove poles and wires wherever possible in the district, the connections to the standards being placed underground. This will very greatly reduce the forest of poles that at present adorn our main streets, and will substitute for them something beautiful by day and both beautiful and useful at night, and more in keeping with the growth and prosperity of our city.

FIVE DOLLARS REWARD!

For the apprehension of any person stealing or having stolen my oranges E. Edith Soper, 1222 W. Seventh St. Glendale.

K. OF P. ELECTION.

Miradero Lodge, K. of P., has elected the following officers: Chancellor, H. L. LeGrand; vice-chancellor, L. B. Fitzgerald; prelate, Dave McDonald; master of work, Frank H. Mitchell; master at arms, O. S. Samson; keeper of records, G. W. Johnson; master of exchequer, C. T. Eudenmiller; master of finance, Harry W. Flower; inner guard, Edw. P. Manley; outer guard, Harry Miller; trustee, H. B. Eachus.

Wednesday night, when the wind was blowing from the chilly north John Wilson, tramp, built a fire to take the chill from him, at the Litch field lumber yard. Officer Everett ran John in, called up Judge Whomes, who held court immediately and sentenced Mr. Wilson to thirty days in the county jail, where his friends may leave cards.

Notice of Application for Liquor License

Notice is hereby given that an Application for Liquor License under the provisions of Ordinance Number 245 (New Series) of the County of Los Angeles and amendments thereto, has been filed in the office of the Board of Supervisors of said County, as hereinafter designated, towit:

Filed, December 11, 1911. Name, Joseph S. Ybarra. Location, Tejunga Canyon, five miles north of Monte Vista, La Canada Precinct. Business, Winery keeper.

Notice is also given hereby that the foregoing application will by heard by the Board of Supervisors at the office of said Board in the City of Los Angeles on the 8th day of January, 1912, at 10 o'clock a.m.

H. J. LELANDE
County Clerk of the County of Los Angeles of State of California, and ex-officio Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of said County
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Large lot on Penn street; $25 cash and $10 a month.

Large lot on Myrtle, third from Central, only $550.

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Social and Personal

Something About People You Know

Mr. E. C. Frank has been seriously indisposed for several days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Clement of North Glendale enjoyed a recent short visit in Ontario.

Mr. John Hunchberger of Central avenue spent last week in San Diego on business.

Miss Lillian Eaton of Lomita avenue was hostess Tuesday evening to a number of her friends.

Mrs. M. J. Jackson and Miss Francis Jackson of Third street will spend the Christmas holidays in Colton.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hezmalhalch of La Habre visited Miss Alpha Clement of North Glendale over Saturday and Sunday.

The Myosotis Whist Club convened Tuesday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Fish on Maryland avenue.

Mrs. C. E. McNary of 224 Howard street entertained as Sunday dinner guests Mrs. J. C. Danford and Miss Ida M. Waite.

Prof. and Mrs. Charles Barber of Pasadena spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Hunchberger of Central avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. William Austin of Pomona were guests in Glendale during the week at the home of Mrs. A. T. Cook on Louise street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Pulliam of Kenwood street were house guests over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. William Austin of Pomona.

Miss Ruby Borthick and Miss Freda Borthick of Seventh street entertained in honor of their father at a birthday dinner on Monday evening.

Senator W. R. Gaylord, wife and son of Milwaukee, Wis., visited at the home of their uncle, W. B. Gaylord 134 E. First street, last week.

The Christmas luncheon to be given in the Friday Morning Club House by that club on Friday will be attended by from twenty-five to thirty Glendale ladies.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Browning of 129 Kenwood street will entertain Mr. and Mrs. George Holton, Miss Edith Holton and Mr. Jesse Holton of Long Beach at dinner Sunday.

Mr. Eugene C. Frank is recovering from an attack of pneumonia which has kept him in bed for several days, the first time in his life that he has ever been kept in bed a day by illness.

Dr. and Mrs. Leon H. Hurtt of Third street will entertain at a Christmas house party, Dr. and Mrs. C. T. Pepper, Dr. C. F. Pepper, Mrs. Enoch Pepper and Miss Elizabeth Pepper.

Mr. Chas A. Rudel has entered into a partnership with Walter T. Casey, the firm name being Rudel and Casey with offices at 225 W. P. Story building, Los Angeles, where they carry on a real estate and loan business.

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TEACHER OF PIANO

Pupils of all grades received. Studio 1319 West Second street, corner Orange. Sunset 601-R tf-26

Mr. C. L. Shook who left Glendale about two years ago for Imperial, called at the NEWS office one day recently. Like every one else who returns after a short absence, he is astonished at the growth of this section.

Miss Atala Browning of Glendale was among those whose names appeared on the cast of a delightful little vaudeville performance given Friday evening for the benefit of the Magnolia Avenue Christian church of Los Angeles.

Mr. Samuel Fiske and C. Clifford Riggs left Wednesday morning for a gunning trip to Antelope Valley. They will make their headquarters at the ranch of Mr. Harlan Pratt at Rosemond. They expect to be away ten days or two weeks.

Miss Katherine Wells returned to her home at 1504 West Fourth street Tuesday after a five months' absence. Miss Wells has visited in the Grand Canyon, at Williams and Prescott, in Arizona and Pueblo, Denver and Walsenburg in Colorado.

The Just Sew Club, a delightful organization and one most enjoyed by its members, held one of its usual pleasant meetings at the home of Mrs. C. W. Mandis, 480 Fifth street. The next meeting of the club will be held at the residence of Mrs. H. E. Bartlett on Brand boulevard.

Dr. and Mrs. D. W. Hunt of Fifth street entertained informally and delightfully at their home on Saturday evening. Cards formed the principal pastime, after which dainty refreshments, appropriate to the season, were served. Those who enjoyed the gracious hospitality of the doctor and Mrs. Hunt were Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Meeker, Professor and Mrs. Anderson and Dr. and Mrs. Blackburn.

Mrs. Mary Howard Gridley, regent of the Los Angeles Chapter, and Mrs. Enoch Pepper, regent of Eschscholtzia Chapter, both chapters of the Daughters of the American Revolution, were among the fifty prominent club women who sat on the platform at Temple Auditorium, Monday, when an assembly was gathered to protest against the refusal of Russia to accept the passports of American citizens who were Jews.

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TROPICO

F. R. Sinclair has been awarded the contract for the improvement work on Cypress street.

L. C. Rice has just returned from a several days' business to San Francisco and other northern points.

Miss Helen Roberson of West Tropico avenue, has returned to her home at this place after enjoying a visit with friends and relatives in Fresno Cal.

After passing several days at Galveston, Texas, where they were called on account of the illness of their sister, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore V. Watterson have returned to their home in this valley.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Bank of Tropico will be held in the banking room on Tuesday, January 9, at 3:30 in the afternoon.

It is rumored that the Fraternal Brotherhood lodge will install lodge offices in the Gabaig block just as soon as the block is completed. L. M. Appleby, deputy district organizer for the Fraternal Brotherhood, is in this city and is pushing the work.

Two powerful sermons were delivered by Rev. C. B. Hatch at the Presbyterian church last Sunday morning. The morning subject was, "Old Things That do Not Grow Old." In the evening his theme was "Confession—Its Cost and Value."

Two mere youngsters came to Tropico since our edition last week. One came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Lee Kirkham on Central avenue. The other arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Weston on West Park avenue.

Gregg Wilbur, who for the past several years has been employed by the various water companies of this valley, has severed his connection with the Tropico Water company. He has leased a large ranch in San Diego county, where he will grow alfalfa. We wish him success.

Improvement work has started on Tropico avenue. The street will be improved from Glendale avenue to Central avenue, where it connects with the county good roads system. The work will consist of grading, oiling and tamping of the street and the laying of curbs and sidewalks. Other streets of Tropico will be improved before a great while.

The Christmas exercises of the Tropico Methodist church will be held in the church this (Friday) evening. A special program has been arranged and the church will be prettily decorated for the affair. The public is invited to attend. The members of the Sunday school will be given a treat. Santa will be there with his Christmas tree.

Among Tropico's new residents are G. G. Stewart, traveling salesman for Cohn, Asher Hat Company, who, with his family have a home on Gardena avenue; and J. M. Cholwell, Jr., and family, special agent for the Massachusetts Life Insurance Company, who with his family are occupying their newly erected home on El Bonita avenue.

The facts have just leaked out about the marriage of Rev. Henry Goodsell of Palmer avenue to a lady who up to the time of her marriage lived in Oakland. About the time of the wedding Mr. Goodsell went away for a rest, but came back with a bride. Mr. and Mrs. Goodsell are now located in the Goodsell home on Palmer avenue, where they are receiving the congratulations of friends. Rumor has it that for years they were old-time sweethearts.

The usual services will be held next Sabbath at the Tropico Methodist church. In the morning the pastor, Rev. Carnes, will deliver a Christmas sermon. In the evening the subject will be "God's Glory in Jesus Christ." A "Watch Night" service will be held in this church next Sunday evening. The meeting will start at 7 o'clock and will continue until after midnight. It is understood that there will be a different leader each hour.

WEST GLENDALE

Every one is most cordially invited to enjoy the Christmas exercises at the West Glendale Methodist church, corner Pacific and Oak streets, tomorrow evening (Saturday), at 7:30 p. m. A splendid program has been arranged, and to the delight of the little folks there will be a Christmas tree and Old Santa says he will be on hand to take part in the festivities.

Mrs. Daniel Kelty who has been seriously ill at her home on Ivy street, is greatly improved although still confined to her home.

The following excellent program was rendered at the close of the West Glendale school, December 15th, for their Christmas vacation of two weeks. The decorations were very attractive, and the manger in which the pupils deposited their bountiful supply of gifts for the poor and needy was almost hidden in a mass of greenery and bright flowers. Every pupil deserves praise for the cheerful spirit which prompted them to "give, rather than to receive." Program:

Song, "Christmas Bells," Third and Fourth grade; song, "Old Santa Claus," First grade; song, "We Three Kings of Orient," Eighth grade; recitation, "Christmas," Esther Schremp; song, "New Year;" Sixth grade; violin solo, Rene Glover, accompanied by Carelton Padelford; song, "The Old Story," Second grade; song, "Jolly Christmas," Fifth grade; composition, "Christmas Giving," Eugene Moore; violin and piano duet, Rene Glover and Coulton Padelford; Christmas Quotations, Eighth grade; vocal solo, Winifred Jones; Two Christmas Stories, Miss Mary Gridley; song, "Silent Night," Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth grades.

The violin solos for the afternoon were very kindly donated by Mr. Rene Glover, the talented violinist, who has lately arrived from Santa Maria, and to whom the program committee feels deeply grateful.

Place your Christmas order early—before Saturday, December 23d, for we will be closed all day Monday, December 25th, to examine what Santa Claus left in our stockings.

Wishing you all a merry Christmas we beg to remain

Yours respectfully

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W. C. T. U. NOTES.

Our Jewel City free from the licensed liquor traffic, can build beautiful school houses, churches, etc., and business is prosperous, no grass grows on our streets. This is the arithmetic of the license question in a nutshell Sacramento, with an assessed valuation of $30,406,900, and high license, has a city tax rate of $1.60 on the $100. Pasadena, a prohibition city with an assessed valuation of $38,910,170, has a city tax rate of 98 cents on the $100. Alameda with an assessed valuation of $17,933,866 and high license, has a city tax rate of $1.25 on the $100. Long Beach, a prohibition city, with an assessed valuation of $17,476,204, has a city tax rate of 65 cents on the $100. San Jose with an assessed valuation of $20,634,645 and high license, has a city tax rate of $1.15 on the $100. Berkeley a prohibition city with an assessed valuation of $33,899,444, has a city tax rate of 99 cents on the $100. Stockton, with an assessed valuation of $18,006,700, and high license, has a city tax rate of $1.96 on the $100. Riverside, a prohibition city with an assessed valuation of $11,989,628, has a city tax rate of $1.15 on the $100. Marysville, with an assessed valuation of $2,528,505 and high license, has a city tax rate of $3.50 on the $100. Just across the river from Marysville is Yuba City, a prohibition city, which has a tax rate of 75 cents on $100. Santa Monica, with high license, has a city tax rate of $1.65 on the $100. Pacific Grove, prohibition, with no revenue from saloons, has a city tax rate of 90 cents on the $100.

Fully 60 per cent of our taxes are caused directly or indirectly by the liquor traffic.

How many liquor licenses in force now in Los Angeles? Ans. 443. How much revenue do they pay into the city? Ans. $418,921.50 a year. How many policemen are there in Los Angeles? Ans. 433. About how much do they pay for them? Ans. $649,500. How much does the liquor traffic lack of paying the police? Ans. About $230,578. Fewer police would be needed but for the liquor traffic and with this lack where do the profits of the taxpayers come in? Ans. (?) What are some of the moral effects of all this? Ans. 20 murders, 460 commitments to the insane asylums, 14 assaults to murder, 120 deaths overstimulation of the heart, 132 suicides, 132 sent to the penitentiary, 728 new offenders before the juvenile court, and 2500 boys and girls in all brought under the attention of the probation officer. Is this all? No. There have been 870 interlocutory and 511 final divorce decrees, nearly all of which grew out of the liquor traffic.

ORDER YOUR TURKEYS
At The Glendale Market.

MID-WINTER BAZAAR.

A mid-winter bazaar of people engaged in business in Glendale will be held in K. of P. hall for two consecutive evenings about the middle of January, 1912, the exact dates will be determined later. The available space for booths will be sold for reasonable prices, and the public will be admitted free.

The committee in charge of arrangements take this means of notifying all desiring space and request that early arrangements for same be made by calling or telephoning Mr. Frank Showalter or Mr. Dave Carney.

By Order of the Executive Board of the Glendale Valley Improvement Association.

Have you tried McARTHURS' Confections—if not, why not?

Borthick & Co. report a decided improvement in the realty market. Houses for rent are particularly in demand. During the past ten days this firm has made the following sales: McFadden to Cohn, corner of Lomita and Brand, house to be taken off, $2700. Campbell to W. E. Borthick a lot on Orange street between Fifth and Sixth streets; also to Henry L. Neill, and still a third to Rosy M. Marks of Salt Lake, all in the same block. Claver to Smith, house and lot on Tenth street between Damasco and Brand.

THE CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY.

The children's Christmas party given annually by the Maids and Matrons for the children of the club members of the Glendale Country Club was held Monday afternoon. Every year the children's party has proved the most delightful and pleasure-giving afternoon of the many charming and unique social affairs given by the Maids and Matrons. The party given to the wee tots Monday formed the happiest and most joyous memory yet to be strung on the chain of charming recollections connected with the Country Club in the minds of its members and friends. Never before were the handsome and artistic parlors of the club more beautiful than they were Monday in their Christmas garlands and festoons of ivy and holly. A huge tree adorned with shiny balls and twinkling lights, laden with gifts, found itself to be a most alluring feature in the estimation of the honored guests, both big and little. The spirit of Christmas was everywhere, emanating peace, good fellowship and cheeriness. Every possible detail of the party was planned for the children's interest, they themselves rendered the program which proved to be far superior to anything which could have been given by a "grown-up." Hulbert Toll gave a piano solo; Virginia Buxton, a recitation; Albert Bryant, a vocal solo; Arthur Campbell, a violin solo; Margery Temple, a recitation; Elizabeth Sternberg, a piano solo; Dorothy Brown, a recitation; Gertrude Toll, a piano solo; Barbara Kranz, a recitation; Hugh and Dean Bryant, a vocal duet; Dorothy Hinckley, a recitation; Daniel Campbell, a violin solo; Dorothy, Milton and Earl Brown, a piano trio; Barton Hinckley, a recitation; Shirley Chase, a recitation and Helen Beach, a violin solo. Of all the excellent programs rendered by artists within the walls of the Country Club, not one has ever stirred the hearts of the club's mothers as did the simple little numbers given by their own children. After the program, refreshments were served and heartily enjoyed, and just as they were swallowing the last good spoonful, Santa Claus arrived, his own jolly old self burdened with gifts for one and all. Such excitement as then reigned! After the last child had received just what he wanted, Santa Claus presented Mrs. Menzo Williams, the faithful president of the Maids and Matrons, with a handsome cut glass bowl, a tribute from the members. The hostesses of the happy day were Mrs. Menzo Williams, Mrs. Daniel Campbell, Mrs. A. W. Dow, Mrs Ralph Hinckley, Mrs. L. C. Brand, Mrs. T. W. T. Richards, Mrs. E. F Tholen. Mrs. V. Price Brown received the guests and made them welcome. To these eight, their efforts and understanding of children, is due the perfect success of a perfect day. Bullocks Department Store of Los Angeles generously loaned the Santa Claus costume, to whom the appreciation of the Maids and Matrons is extended.

Wm. E. Bowman, a veteran photographer, who with others elected Taft three years ago at Ottawa, Illinois, then came to Los Angeles, where he made his home with relatives at 1262 West Twenty-fifth street, until the first of May, when he returned to his old home city on a visiting and business trip, has just returned now, making his home in Glendale, Cal.

Mr. Spencer Robinson, the well-known member of the firm of Tupper, Robinson & Co., left Monday last for Rock Island, Ills., in charge of the body of his mother, who died in Los Angeles a few days before. He will probably be absent about ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shattuck of Central avenue and Mrs. Mary H. Gridley of Brand boulevard, were among the dinner guests at the home of Mrs. O. P. Clark on Menlow avenue, Tuesday evening. Mrs. Clark is vice president of the Political Equality League in Los Angeles.

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CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS.
Fictitious Firm Name.

The undersigned do hereby certify that we are conducting a business at 1034 South Main St., Los Angeles, California, under the fictitious firm name of Sanitary Vacuum Cleaning Company, and that said firm is composed of the following persons, whose names and addresses are as follows, to wit:

Milton Moore, 1736 West Forty-fifth St., Los Angeles, Cal.

Laurence E. French, 1645 Ingraham St., Los Angeles, Cal.

Witness our hands this 8th day of December, 1911.

MILTON MOORE.
LAURENCE E. FRENCH.

State of California,
County of Los Angeles—ss.

On this 8th day of December, in the year nineteen hundred and eleven, before me, Wirt C. Smith, a Notary Public in and for said County, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Milton Moore and Laurence E. French, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal.
[Seal] WIRT C. SMITH,
Notary Public in and for said County of Los Angeles, State of California.

CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS.
Fictitious Firm Name.

The undersigned does hereby certify that he is conducting a printing business at 550 South Figueroa St., Los Angeles, California, under the fictitious firm name of Los Angeles Daily Menu Press, and that said firm is composed of the following person, whose name and address is as follows, to wit:

William C. Smith, 550 South Figueros St., Los Angeles, Cal.

Witness his hand this 8th day of December, 1911.

WILLIAM C. SMITH.

State of California,
County of Los Angeles—ss.

On this 8th day of December, in the year nineteen hundred and eleven, before me, Wirt C. Smith, a Notary Public in and for said County, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared William C. Smith, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal.
[Seal] WIRT C. SMITH,
Notary Public in and for said County of Los Angeles, State of California.

CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS.
Fictitious Firm Name.

The undersigned do hereby certify that we are conducting a business at 857 South Spring St., Los Angeles, California, under the fictitious firm name of The House Furniture Company, and that said firm is composed of the following persons, whose names and addresses are as follows, to wit:

Henry Siemer, 1213 West Fifth St., Los Angeles, Cal.

Henry Wenz, 4616 Lockwood St., Los Angeles, Cal.

Witness our hands this 7th day of December, 1911.

HENRY SIEMER.
HENRY WENZ.

State of California,
County of Los Angeles—ss.

On this 7th day of December, in the year nineteen hundred and eleven, before me, Wirt C. Smith, a Notary Public in and for said County, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Henry Siemer and Henry Wenz, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal.
[Seal] WIRT C. SMITH,
Notary Public in and for said County of Los Angeles, State of California.

CERTIFICATE.
Business Under Fictitious Name (Firm.

We, the undersigned, hereby certify that we are conducting business (Theatrical) at No. 1105 West Fourth St., City of Glendale, County of Los Angeles, State of California, under the firm name of Majestic Photo Play Theater, and that said firm is composed of the following named persons:

Charles E. Anderson, whose address is 1300 Chestnut St., Glendale, California.

Claude R. Thorpe, whose address is 1441 Hawthorne St., Glendale, California.

Witness our hands this 15th day of December, 1911, at Glendale, Cal.

CHARLES E. ANDERSON,
CLAUDE R. THORPE.

State of California,
County of Los Angeles—ss.

On this 15th day of December, in the year one thousand, nine hundred and eleven A. D., before me, J. C. Sherer, a Notary Public in and for said County, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Charles E. Anderson and Claude R. Thorpe, personally known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

In witness where, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the day and year in this certificate first above written.

[Seal] J. C. SHERER,
Notary Public in and for the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS.
Fictitious Firm Name.

The undersigned does hereby certify that he is conducting a business at Los Angeles, California, under the fictitious firm name of Hainer Bookkeeping Machine Company, and that said firm is composed of the following person, whose name and address is as follows, to wit:

Lyman E. Henry, 512½ South Main St., Los Angeles, Cal.

Witness his hand this 8th day of December, 1911.

LYMAN E. HENRY.

State of California,
County of Los Angeles—ss.

On this 8th day of December, in the year nineteen hundred and eleven, before me, Wirt C. Smith, a Notary Public in and for said County, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Lyman E. Henry, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal.
[Seal] WIRT C. SMITH,
Notary Public in and for said County of Los Angeles, State of California.

CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS.
Fictitious Firm Name.

The undersigned does hereby certify that he is conducting a business at 358 West Fourth St., Glendale, California, under the fictitious firm name of Glendale Pharmacy, and that said firm is composed of the following person, whose name and address is as follows, to wit:

Jonathan J. Freeman, 1474 Winfield St., Los Angeles, Cal.

Witness his hand this 11th day of December, 1911.

JONATHAN J. FREEMAN.

State of California,
County of Los Angeles—ss.

On this 11th days of December, in the year nineteen hundred and eleven, before me, Wirt C. Smith, a Notary Public in and for said County, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Jonathan J. Freeman, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal.
[Seal] WIRT C. SMITH,
Notary Public in and for said County of Los Angeles, State of California.